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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

DIETER MUELLER ET AL.

Title: REDUCED COHERENCE  
SYMMETRIC GRAZING INCIDENCE  
DIFFERENTIAL INTERFEROMETER

Serial No.: 09/543,604

Filed: April 7, 2000

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Hon. Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In accordance with Rule 136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a  
one month extension of time, extending to April 18, 2003, the period for response to the  
outstanding Office Action in the above-entitled case, dated December 18, 2002. A check for  
\$110.00 and the responsive papers are attached.


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Applicants believe that no fees are due in accordance with this Response beyond those included herewith. Should any fees be due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 502026.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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